

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of

IGAKURA, T.

Serial No.: 09/960,548

Filed: 9/20/01

For: FILE MANAGING SYSTEM

Our Ref.: P/1866-65

Date: December 24, 2001

Group Art Unit: 2171

Examiner: Unknown



Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, DC 20231
Attention: Application Branch

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE
CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS**

Sir:

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS is attached along with the requested documents: CORRECTED FORMAL DRAWINGS
<input type="checkbox"/>	Petition for a ___-month extension of time is respectfully requested. Our check in the amount of \$ ___ is attached.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Submitted herewith is a copy of art together with an ART LISTING FORM listing the same for the convenience of the Examiner.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	FORMAL DRAWINGS - Sheets 1-10, Figures 1-15.
<input type="checkbox"/>	CERTIFIED COPY OF PRIORITY APPLICATION(S). Priority is Claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119: Convention Date ___ for <u>Japan</u> Appln. S.N. ___
<input type="checkbox"/>	Error(s) appear on the Official Filing Receipt. A copy of the same is marked in red. Correction of the error(s) is respectfully requested. The error(s) resulted from the Patent Office, thus, no fee is due.

In the event the actual fee is greater than the payment submitted or is inadvertently not enclosed or if any additional fee during the prosecution of this application is not paid, the Patent Office is authorized to charge the underpayment to Deposit Account #15-0700. If this communication is filed after the time period had elapsed and no separate Petition is enclosed, the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks is petitioned, under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), to extend the time for filing a response by the number of months which will avoid abandonment under 37 C.F.R. §1.135. The fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 should be charged to our Deposit Account No. 15-0700.

EXPRESS MAIL CERTIFICATE

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as Express Mail Post Office to Addressee (mail label #EL924391380US) in an envelope addressed to:
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, P.O. Box 2327,
Arlington, VA 22202, on December 24, 2001:

Dorothy Jenkins

Name of Person Mailing Correspondence

Dorothy Jenkins
Signature
December 24, 2001
Date of Signature

SIW:sks

Respectfully submitted,

Steven I. Weisburd

Steven I. Weisburd
Registration No.: 27,409
OSTROLENK, FABER, GERB & SOFFEN, LLP
1180 Avenue of the Americas
New York, New York 10036-8403
Telephone: (212) 382-0700

FIG.1

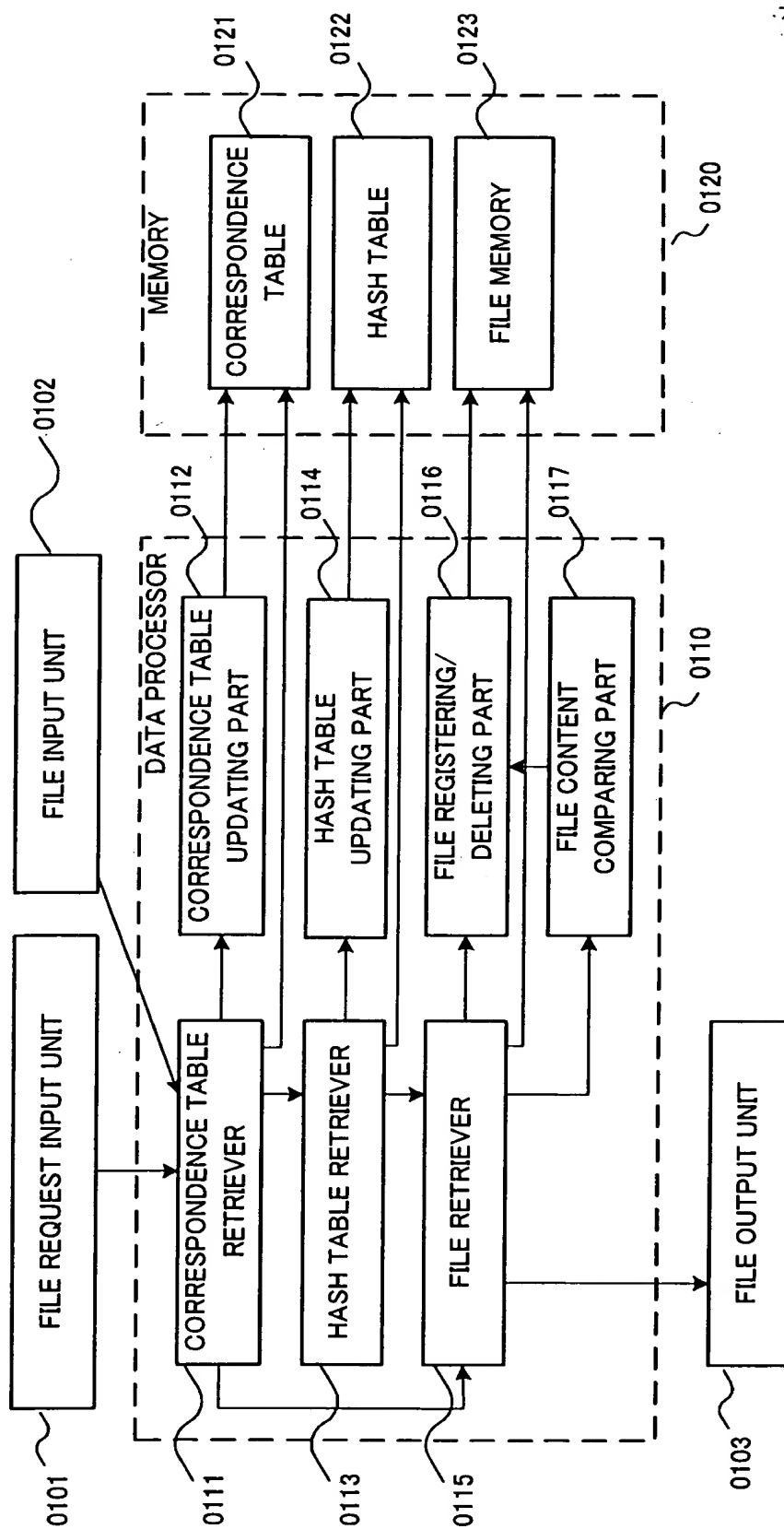


FIG.2

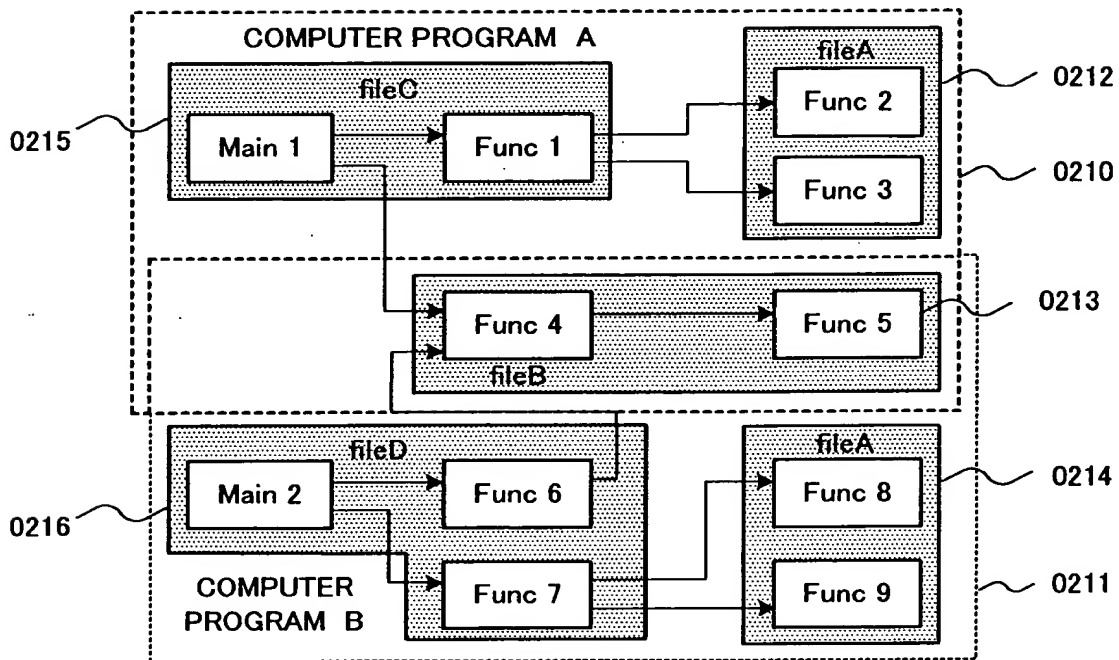


FIG.3

FILE NAME	FILE ID	MANAGING ID
file A	usr 001. prog 01	A-1
	usr 001. prog 02	A-2
	usr 002. prog 01	A-1
file B	usr 002. prog 01	B-1
	usr 003. prog 01	B-2
⋮	⋮	⋮



FIG.4

FILE NAME	FILE	MANAGING ID
file A	FuncA () ~ 0401	A-1
	FuncB () ~ 0402	A-2
	FuncC () ~ 0403	A-3

(a)

KEY VALUE	MANAGING ID
HASH TABLE FOR FILE 0401(=aaaa)	A-1
HASH TABLE FOR FILE 0402(=bbbb)	A-2
HASH TABLE FOR FILE 0403(=bbbb)	A-3

(b)

FIG.8

MANAGING ID	FILE
A-1	FuncA () ~ 0401
A-2	FuncB () ~ 0402
A-3	FuncC () ~ 0403

FIG.5

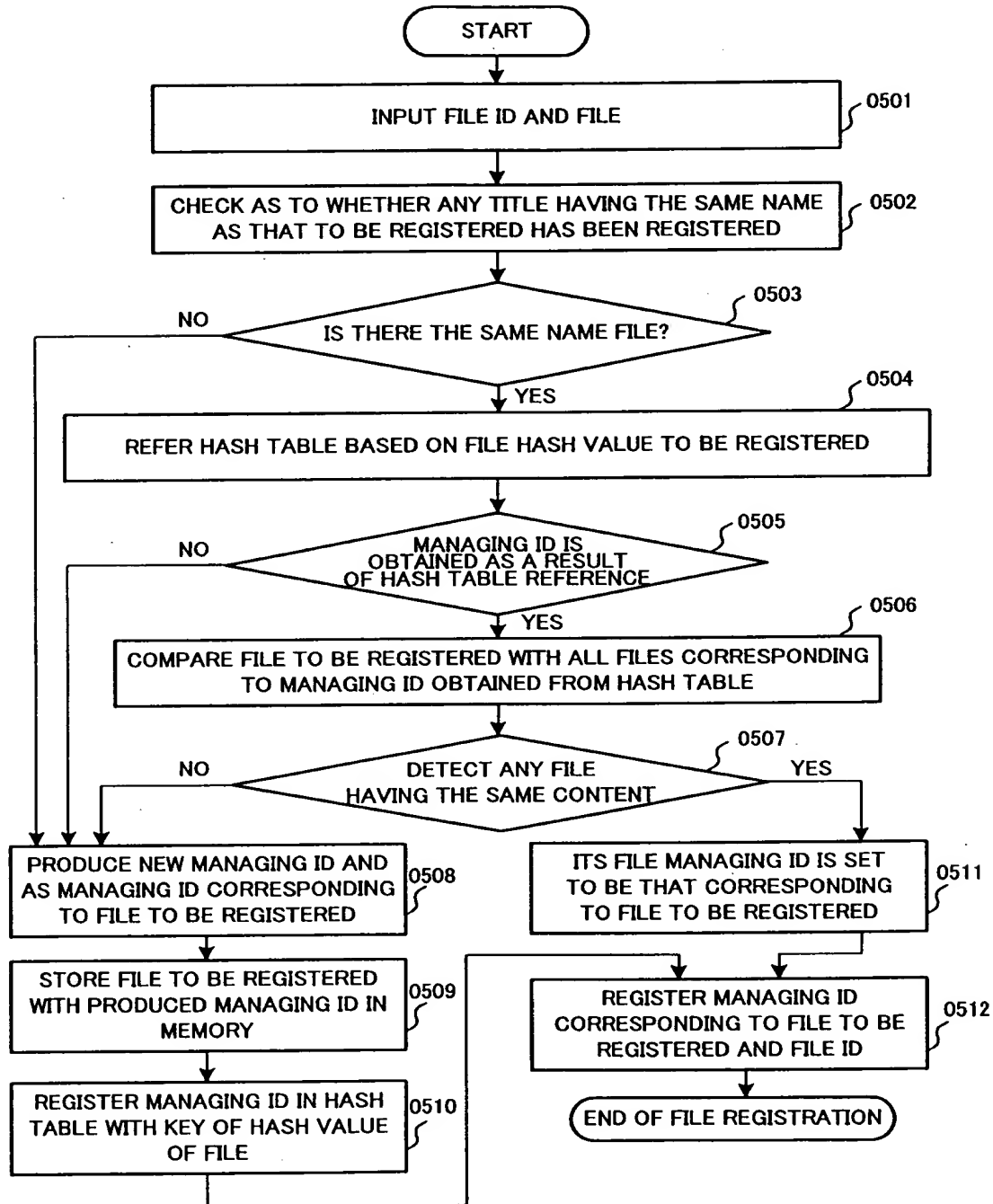


FIG.6

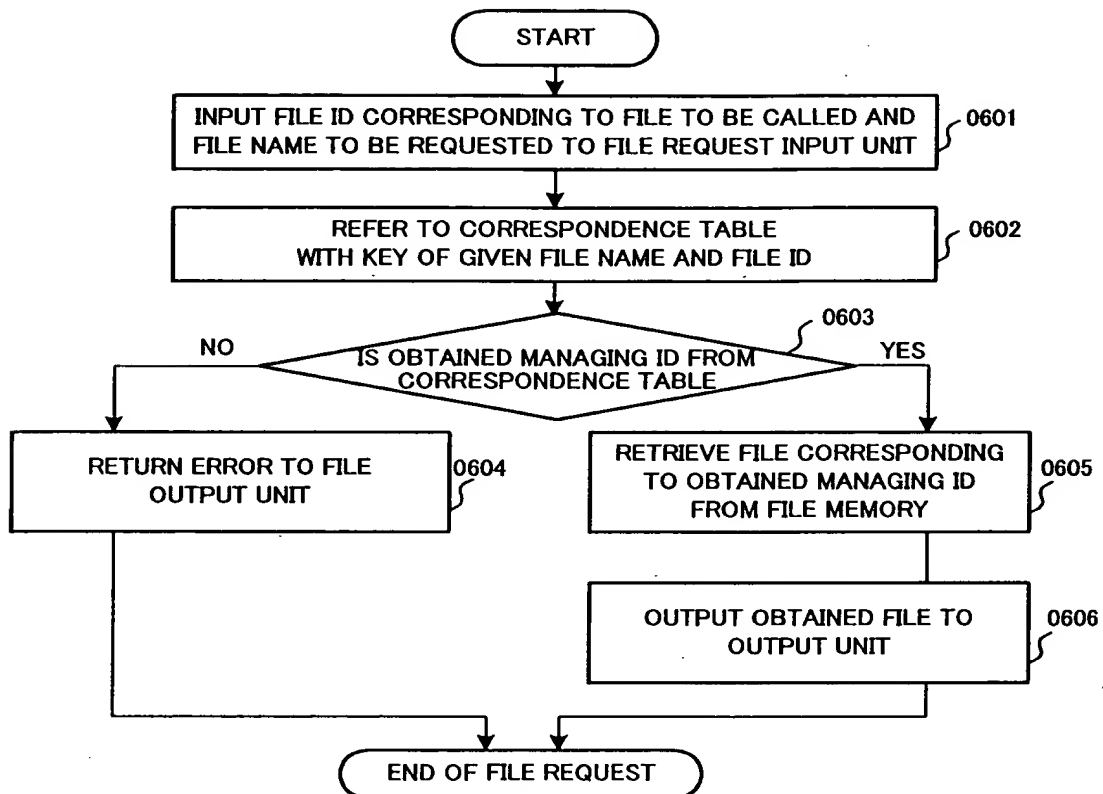


FIG.7

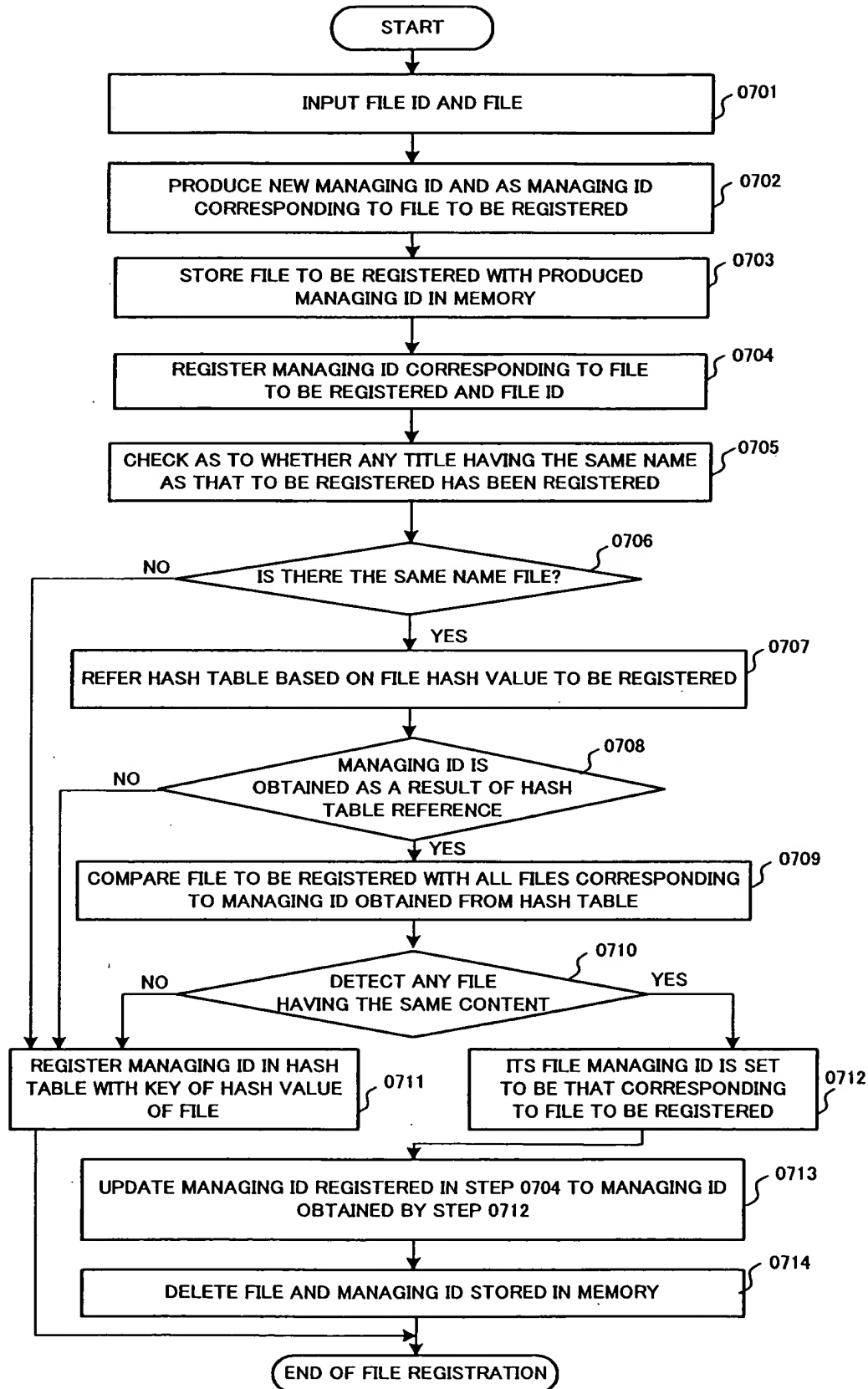


FIG.9

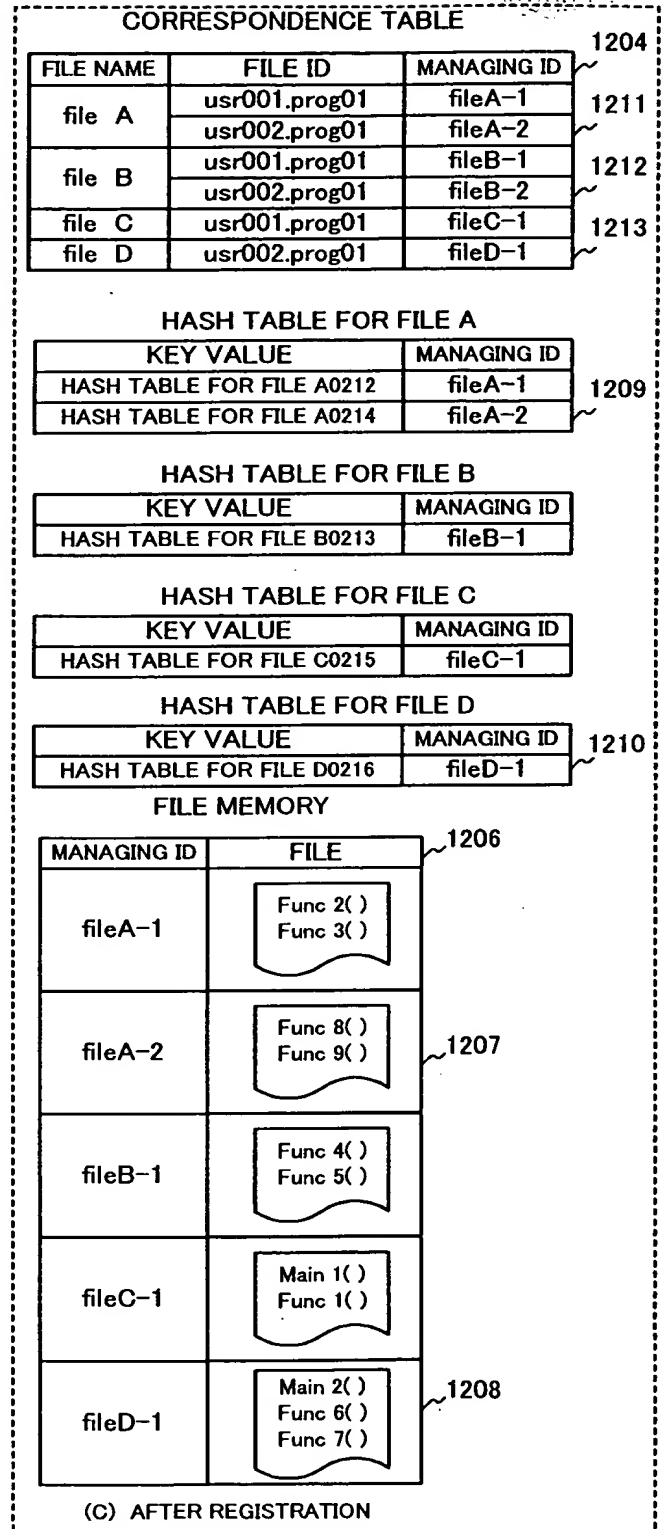
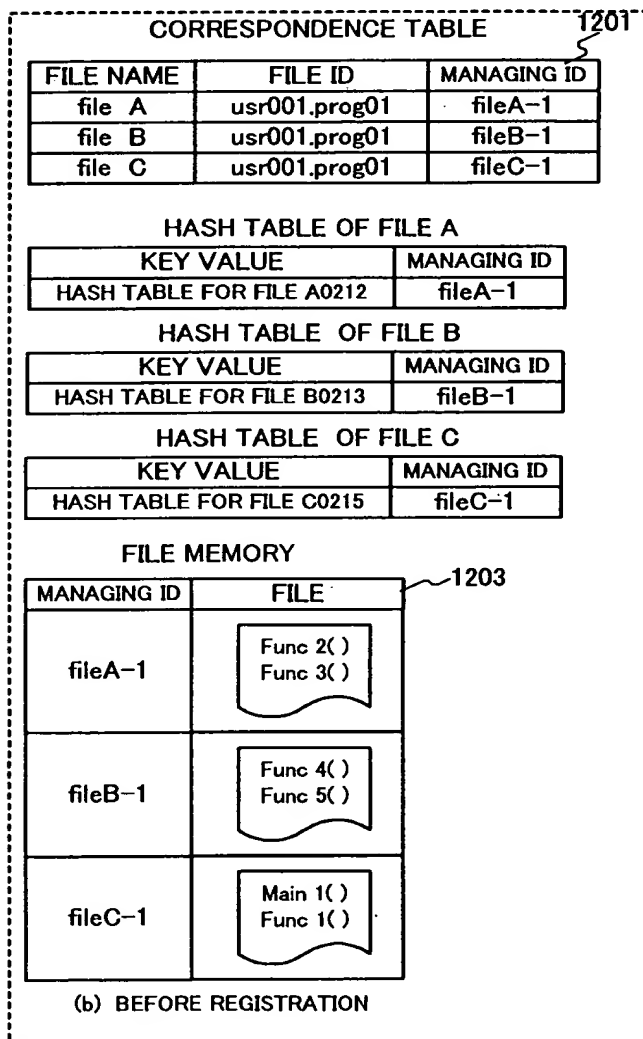
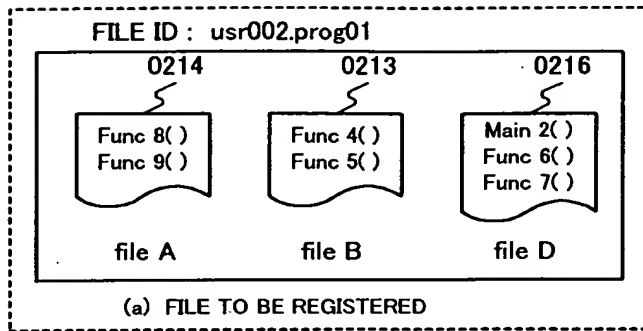


FIG.10

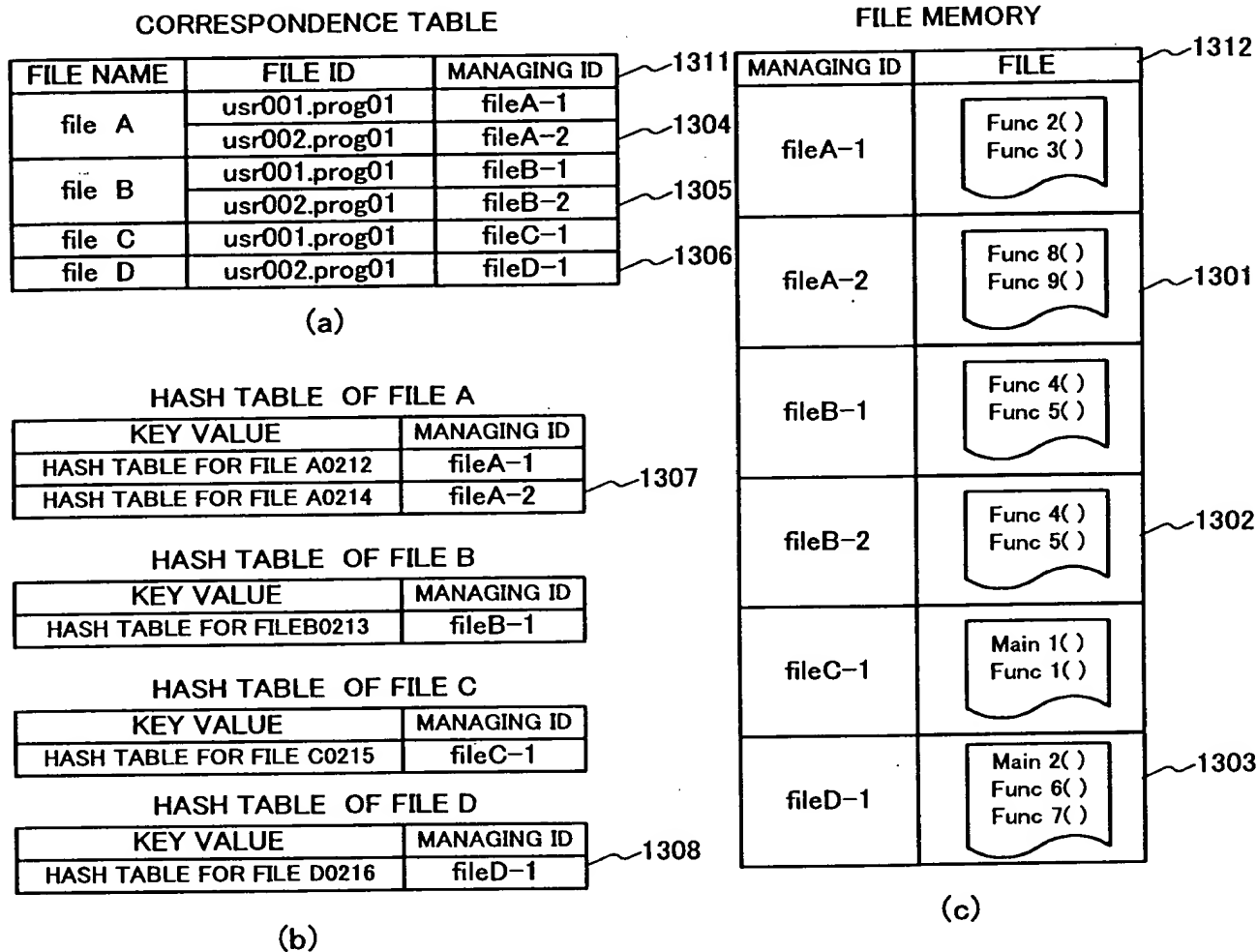


FIG.11

File	ID	
HASH TABLE FOR FILE 0401	A-1	← FOR FILE NAME "file A"
HASH TABLE FOR FILE 0402	A-2	← FOR FILE NAME "file A"
HASH TABLE FOR FILE 0403	A-3	← FOR FILE NAME "file A"
HASH TABLE FOR FILE 0404	B-1	← FOR FILE NAME "file B"
HASH TABLE FOR FILE 0405	B-2	← FOR FILE NAME "file B"
⋮	⋮	

FIG.12

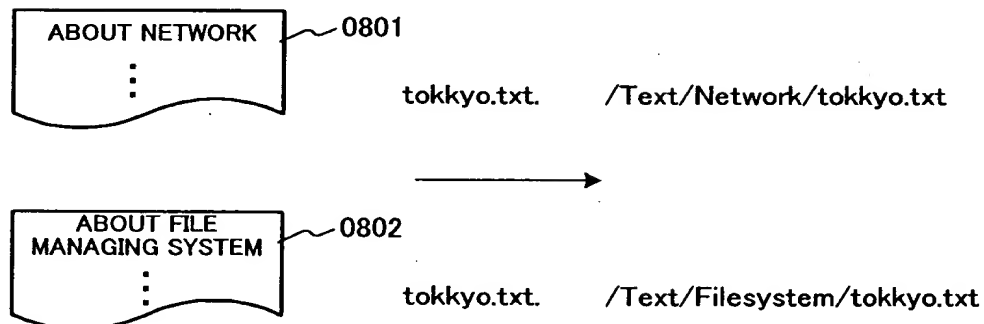


FIG.13

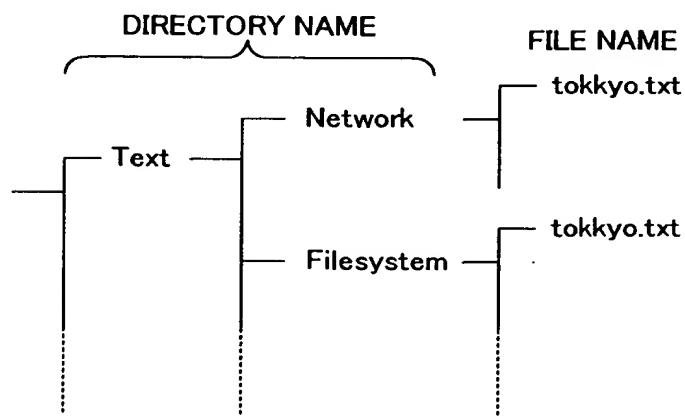


FIG.14

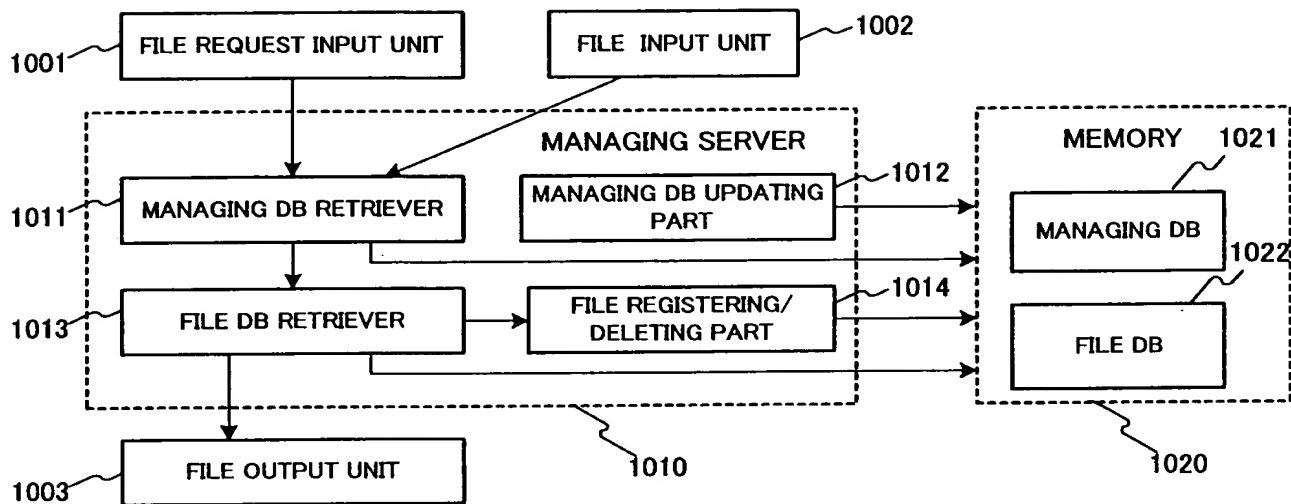


FIG.15

TYPE	FILE NAME	VERSION	MANAGING ID
1	A	1.0	001
2	A	1.0	002
1	A	2.0	003
1	B	1.0	004
⋮			